Reconciliation Action Plan

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Brock Mahoney – Accenture Indigenous ERG Executive Sponsor: Today’s a special day, it’s not only the launch of our RAP but it’s also the start of national reconciliation week which is about be brave and make change. And also, the launch of the accompanying artwork for our RAP that tells the Accenture story about reconciliation.

Garetta Fielding – Visual Artist, Saretta Art & Design: I’m really pleased to be here, thank you Brock and to have been part of your journey. Mariyang Onward and Yapung is Path, so Onward Path and that’s where you’re sitting right now as you launch on that Onward Path. That’s the name of the artwork that I’ve created in a wobbical language. The 3 large gathering circles within the middle of the design, they hold a 3-fold meaning. The first one is really connected to reconciliation and I mentioned that earlier, it’s about relationship and then opportunities. The other meaning behind it is looking at our past, learning and acknowledging the benefit that aboriginal people and their knowledge on caring for country particularly in the days we’re living in now and what we’re seeing. So past, present, what can we do now, how do we engage? How do we be a part of the RAP journey. And then into the future, what are we creating, what legacy are we passing on to our youth? The other we picked up in blue, we are on an island and we’re in Australia and I like to bring waterways, textures and design within the artwork but these are actually your panel pathways that you take as you commit to reconciliation. Interwoven across the artwork, these U shapes they’re a symbol for people.

For our artwork today, we’ve just created a community of people across an interwoven within the arc, rally talk about stakeholders and partnerships but also the importance of diversity and inclusion. Capturing all people. If we come over to this side, we have a gathering circle surrounded by 6 people symbols, that’s about teamwork. Bringing the teamwork but also having the 6 people picks up in the circle is about that 360-degree values that essentially hold so we really wanted to pick that up within the design as well these important parts of who you are and what you do that, I learned from team that worked alongside me to create the design.

Brock Mahoney – Accenture Indigenous ERG Executive Sponsor: Thank you, Siretta. I really appreciate you coming down and also sharing the story and being part of the journey with us.